



# Indiana State Excise Police News Release

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## **Indiana State Excise Police were busy at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway during the Month of May 2009**

**INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.** – During the Month of May Indiana State Excise Police officers worked saturation patrols inside and near the Indianapolis Motor Speedway. These enforcement details resulted in the arrests of 204 persons on 264 charges. Excise Officers worked qualification days, Carburetion Day, and Race Day. However, the majority of arrests were made on Georgetown Road on the night before the race. The following is a breakdown of the charges:

### **Pole Day:**

- 6 - Minor Possessing/Consuming Alcoholic Beverages
- 2 - Furnishing Alcoholic Beverages to a Minor
- 2 - Juvenile Possessing/Consuming Alcoholic Beverages
- 2 - Juvenile Possession of Tobacco
- 4 – Possession of Marijuana

### **Carburetion Day:**

- 49 - Minor Possessing/Consuming Alcoholic Beverages
- 7 – Possession of False Identification
- 3 - Furnishing Alcoholic Beverages to a Minor
- 1 - Juvenile Possessing/Consuming Alcoholic Beverages
- 2 - Juvenile Possession of Tobacco
- 8 – Possession of Marijuana
- 2 – Possession of Controlled Substance
- 3 - Possession of Paraphernalia
- 1- Public Indecency/Nudity
- 2 – Littering
- 2 – False Informing

- 1 – Warrant Arrest
- 1 – Resisting Law Enforcement

**Night before the Race:**

- 79 – Minor Possessing/Consuming Alcoholic Beverages
- 10 – False Informing
- 5 – Possession of False Identification
- 2 – Furnishing Alcoholic Beverages to a Minor
- 1 – Possession of Controlled Substance
- 9 – Possession of Marijuana
- 1 – Dealing in Marijuana
- 1 – Possession of Paraphernalia
- 5 – Public Indecency/Nudity
- 6 – Public Intoxication
- 4 – Sale of Alcoholic Beverages without a Permit
- 5 – Disorderly Conduct
- 2 – Battery on a Police Officer
- 3 – Resisting Law Enforcement
- 10 – Juvenile Possessing/Consuming Alcoholic Beverages
- 10 – Juvenile Possessing Tobacco
- 1 – Contributing to the Delinquency of a Minor
- 1 – Furnishing Tobacco to a Juvenile
- 1 – Littering

**Race Day:**

- 6 – Minor Possessing/Consuming Alcoholic Beverages
- 1 – Possession of False Identification
- 3 – Juvenile Possessing/Consuming Alcoholic Beverages

Indiana State Excise Police officers are the enforcement division of the Indiana Alcohol & Tobacco Commission. While excise officers have the authority to enforce any state law, they focus primarily on enforcing Indiana's alcohol and tobacco statutes.